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Docket No.: 19226/835 (R-5285, R-5321, R-5323, and R-5356)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Applicants | : | Prasad et al.                | ) | Examiner:      |
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| Filed      | : | March 10, 1999               | ) | 1614           |
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| For        | : | TWO-PHOTON UPCONVERTING DYES | ) |                |
|            |   | AND APPLICATIONS             | ) |                |

**PETITION FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.48(b), applicants hereby petition the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") to correct inventorship for the above-identified application.

Under 37 CFR § 1.48(b), an error in inventorship of an application can be corrected by an amendment accompanied by a petition including a statement identifying each named inventor who is being deleted and acknowledging that the inventor's invention is no longer being claimed in the application. 37 CFR § 1.48(b).

Raz Gvishi, Gary E. Ruland, Ping Chin Cheng, and Shan Jen Pan contributed to the invention as claimed in the present application, solely with regard to claims 1-169 and 199-289. Therefore, Raz Gvishi, Gary E. Ruland, Ping Chin Cheng, and Shan Jen Pan were properly-named inventors when the application was filed. Since claims 1-169 and 199-289 have been cancelled, Raz Gvishi, Gary E. Ruland, Ping Chin Cheng, and Shan Jen Pan are no longer properly-named inventors and should be removed.

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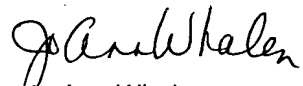
Respectfully requested,

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